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John PETRUSZO

Larry Fleishman gave their Customs component in New York a good wringing out in an effort to recover information on the alleged confiscation of a document, but Customs could not come up with any information verifying Subject's story. They did locate the INS form 1-94 which Subject filed on arrival at JFK on 8 October. This showed that he came in under the name of John PETRIUSZO carrying U.S. Passport 6624420, but this represented the only success for their efforts. A thorough search failed to retrieve the Customs declaration form. What happened to that remains a mystery. All Customs personnel who were on duty on the day in question were interrogated, but they had no recollection of the incident. No record appeared in the seizure reports, the detention book, nor the post entry books. Mr. Fleishman explained they have no other leads to pursue. Either the Subject is lying or somebody acting under cover of Customs conned him out of the document and the Customs declaration form. It is anybody's guess who might have done that. I believe Mr. Fleishman and Customs investigated Subject's story in depth, which leaves us with the unhappy conclusion that Subject probably is a liar.

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